SENATE RESOLUTION 116

By Stevens

A RESOLUTION to commend Laney Overton for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Laney Overton is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator John Stevens; Ms. Overton's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at Trevecca Nazarene University, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Laney Overton has achieved academic success while majoring in history with a minor in political science and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Ms. Overton brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2017 session of the One Hundred Tenth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2017 legislative session, she has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern, serving as an able fact checker, a talking points writer, and a friendly greeter who never complained about an assigned task no matter how complicated or menial; and

WHEREAS, Laney Overton has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Laney Overton for

outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator John Stevens and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.